

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Maryland Department of Natural Resources
Fishing and Boating Services
Commercial Striped Bass Common Pool Gill Net Fishery Modifications — Effective
2/4/2020

WHAT THIS NOTICE DOES

The Secretary of the Maryland Department of Natural Resources announces modifications to the commercial striped bass common pool gill net fishery. Effective 3:00 a.m. Tuesday, February 4, 2020:

- The season is open February 4, 2020 through February 6, 2020.
- The catch limit is 300 lbs/permit/week and 1,200 lbs/vessel/day.
- The catch times remain 3:00 a.m. through 6:00 p.m.

WHY THIS IS NECESSARY

This action is necessary to ensure Maryland's compliance with the Atlantic State Marine Fisheries Commission Interstate Fishery Management Plan for Atlantic Striped Bass.

WHO THIS NOTICE AFFECTS

This applies to all individuals who are permitted to participate in the striped bass common pool gill net fishery in the Chesapeake Bay.

AUTHORITY

Code of Maryland Regulations 08.02.15.12H

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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